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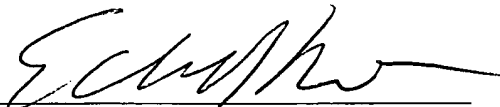
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COLUMN 15:

TABLE 1,

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33	95	97	97	161	161	225	168"

should read

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33	95	97	97	161	161	225	158--.

COLUMN 17:

TABLE 1,

"58	72	120	120	184	184	248	135"
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should read

--56	72	120	120	184	184	248	135--; and
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TABLE 2,

"40	88	104	104	188	128	232	128"
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should read

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COLUMN 50:

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